

## HAUPTMANN TO ACT AS OWN LAWYER AT COURT OF PARDONS

Thrice-Doomed Carpenter To  
Address Board in State  
Prison Room

NEVER DONE BEFORE

Pardons Board Has Never  
Heard Plea of Condemned  
In Prison

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TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 10.—(INS)—  
Bruno Richard Hauptmann today  
was preparing to voice the final plea for  
his life in his own guttural accent.

He was not surprised nor greatly  
disappointed when the United States  
Supreme Court refused to review his  
conviction for the murder of Baby  
Lindbergh.

He had seen his lawyers fail in the  
State Courts. He was not to be upset  
when they failed no better before the  
highest tribunal in the land.

Now he is preparing to act as his  
own lawyer before the Court of Pardons  
in what promises to be one of the  
strangest scenes ever enacted in a  
criminal case in this state.

The thrice-doomed carpenter will,  
according to the most reliable infor-  
mation, address the august Court of  
Pardons in a room of the State Prison,  
where he now awaits death in the  
electric chair. If present plans of  
those in authority carry through.

Members of the Court of Pardons  
are Governor Harold G. Hoffman,  
State Chancellor Luther A. Campbell  
and six Judges of the State Court of  
Errors and Appeals. They wield the  
power of pardon, parole or commuta-  
tion.

Never before in the history of the  
state has a Court of Pardons gone into  
the State Prison to hear the plea of  
a condemned man. But neither had a  
Governor ever gone into the State  
Prison to interview a doomed inmate  
until Governor Hoffman paid his  
secret visit to Hauptmann in the death  
house on the night of last October 17.

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## Bristol High Students Attend "Day in Congress"

The Civic Forum League sponsored  
the second annual "Day in Congress"  
at Mitten Hall, Temple University, on  
December 7th. This League is an  
organization for the promotion of the  
discussion of current topics—political,  
social and economic—among student  
representatives from secondary  
schools in Eastern Pennsylvania, New  
Jersey, Delaware and Maryland.

The "Day in Congress" is conducted  
according to good parliamentary pro-  
cedure. Each school participating is  
asked to send two representatives and  
two press agents to either the Senate  
or the House of Representatives. The  
House of Representatives holds its  
meeting in the morning, opening at  
10, and adjourning at 12.30 p. m. The  
Senate holds its meeting in the after-  
noon from one until 3.30 p. m.

This year the bill discussed was the  
McGraw-Hill Bill, No. 7154, or the  
Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension  
Plan.

The House of Representatives was  
opened by the entrance of the presi-  
dent of the United States, Merl H.  
Scheffey, Abington high school, who  
delivered a message urging the pas-  
sage of some social legislation. The  
Speaker of the House was Ellis Gadiol,  
Northeast high school, Philadelphia.

A much heated discussion followed  
in which all members of the House  
took part. California, the first state  
having the floor, presented an argu-  
ment for the Townsend Plan. All the  
other states followed giving a lively  
discussion, most of them opposing the  
Plan. Many amendments were pro-  
posed but when votes were taken they  
were found unfavorable.

Bristol high school participated in  
the House of Representatives, repre-  
senting the State of Colorado. The  
two representatives were Eleanor  
Ridge and Julius DeWitte. Both  
representatives took the negative side  
of the question. The two press repre-  
sentatives were Phyllis Wichser and Ruth  
Weller.

The meeting was adjourned after a  
motion was made to the effect that it  
would meet the same time next year.

## THIS DATE IN NEWS OF PAST

Tuesday, December 10  
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1672—Monthly mail service began  
between New York and Boston.

1787—Thomas H. Gallaudet, first in  
U. S. to undertake education of deaf-  
mutes, was born.

1817—Mississippi was admitted to  
Union.

1877—Women given right to vote  
and hold office in Wyoming.

1916—German submarine Deutsch-  
land arrived in Bremen, completing  
voyage from U. S. with \$2,000,000  
cargo.

1920—Nobel Peace Prize was award-  
ed to President Woodrow Wilson.

## Yardley Woman Will Be Buried Tomorrow Afternoon

YARDLEY, Nov. 10.—Funeral serv-  
ices will be held for Miss Lettie (Vi-  
ola) Brown, 76, who died in Doyle-  
town Hospital Sunday morning, from  
her late home, 23 Main street, tomor-  
row, at two o'clock. Interment will  
be in St. Andrew's Cemetery.

Miss Brown was the daughter of the  
late Charles and Lydia Brown, Yard-  
ley. Her only survivors are cousins:  
Mrs. Lillian Volk, Florence, N. J.;  
Mrs. Elmira Gillingham, Tullytown;  
and Mrs. Ella Cheston, Easton.

The Episcopal burial service will  
be held under the direction of the Rev.  
Walter Cresson Pugh, rector of St. An-  
drew's Church.

## YARDLEY PASSES ZONING ENABLING ORDINANCE

Council Enabled To Stipulate  
Regulations In Various  
Districts

MAIN STREET QUESTION

YARDLEY, Dec. 10.—At the Decem-  
ber session of the Yardley Borough  
Council held in council rooms, Fri-  
day evening, the zoning enabling  
ordinance was passed at its third read-  
ing. The ordinance, which has yet to  
be approved by Burgess Chester Wet-  
stein, before becoming effective, is to  
grant power to the town council to  
regulate the building line, and other  
similar functions, as the use to which  
the building may be put. To carry out  
these provisions the ordinance enables  
the council to divide the borough into  
districts, stipulating regulations for  
each district. Such regulations are to  
be made for the general welfare of the  
borough, and follow a comprehensive  
plan and design to lessen the dangers  
of fire and other hazards, to promote  
health, conserve the value of buildings  
in a given district and encourage the  
most appropriate use of land through-  
out the borough.

The regulations before becoming  
effective, as well as changes from  
time to time, must be given a public  
hearing, at which time citizens shall  
be given an opportunity to be heard.  
In order for town council to make use  
of the power granted them in this  
ordinance they must appoint a zoning  
commission of five citizens of the bor-  
ough. This commission shall hold  
public hearings and then submit a re-  
port of recommended regulations to  
council, who will then hold a public  
hearing before taking final action.

Council authorized the publication  
of this ordinance as required by law,  
subsequent to the approval of the  
burgess. This ordinance does not in  
any way regulate or restrict the build-  
ing in the community, but is only to  
allow council to take such action in  
the near future, after a series of pub-  
lic hearings have been held.

The condition of Main street was  
again brought to the attention of  
council. Mrs. Katherine Sullivan, of  
the Trenton Automobile Club, intro-  
duced to council Mr. Castle, of the  
Philadelphia division, who offered the  
co-operation of the A. A. A. in an ef-  
fort to secure the repairs of the  
street from the highway department.

An adjourned meeting will be held  
on December 27, to finish all business  
before the close of the year, and the  
expiration of the terms being served  
by Fred A. Bebbington, Robert Bar-  
bour, and Walter L. Dilliplane. Mr.  
Barbour and Mr. Dilliplane were re-  
elected for another term, while  
Arthur W. Blaker will succeed Mr.  
Bebbington.

## Tullytown School Board Reorganizes for Year

TULLYTOWN, Dec. 10.—The Tully-  
town Borough School Board met last  
night and reorganized for the ensuing  
year.

William Parr was named president  
and William Swangler was elected  
vice-president.

A building committee consisting of  
L. S. Lovett and Henry Clay was  
named.

## June McLaughlin Acts As Hostess to S. S. Class

June McLaughlin, Pond street, was  
hostess Friday evening to members of  
her Sunday School Class, St. James' P.  
E. Church. The name of the class is  
"The Peppy Pals," and the teacher is  
Mrs. Russell Ellis. A business  
meeting was held, after which the  
game of "radio" was enjoyed. Prizes  
were given to Ruth Shire, Doris Pear-  
son and Elmira Gorton. Refreshments  
were served.

Others present were: Carolyn Spencer,  
Mildred Goheen, Mildred Graham,  
Lily Gorton, Jean Wilson.

## THREE GAMBLE CONCERTS

The Bucks County Medical Society  
will hear the Ernest Gamble Concert  
Party at the Fountain Inn, Doyle-  
town, the evening of December 18th.  
The Gamble Party will present "Musical  
Portraits" at the Emilen School,  
Germantown, the evening of December  
19th. The Rotary Club of Allentown  
gives its Christmas party at the  
Americus Hotel the night of December  
27th with the Gambles as the attrac-  
tion.

## ROOSEVELT THE CANDIDATE

(New York American, December 6, 1935)

Of course it has always been assumed that President  
Roosevelt would be a candidate to succeed himself.

This is expected of Presidents — and expected by them.  
Sometimes they have failed to receive a renomination  
from their party, as was the case with President Arthur, and,  
at an earlier stage in our history, President Franklin Pierce.

But they have all SOUGHT renomination after a single  
term and usually received it.

In the case of President Roosevelt, we had the assurance  
of his political manager, Postmaster-General James A. Farley,  
about a year ago, that President Roosevelt "would not permit  
himself to be defeated"—a form of brag which, in view of the  
billions entrusted to the President to spend, rather grated on  
the sensibilities of even his well-wishers.

Recently came what is practically a personal announce-  
ment of his candidacy in the President's reply to a reporter's  
question as to whether he was a candidate for renomination.

Mr. Roosevelt is reported to have chuckled at he answered  
in words made famous by the late Charles F. Murphy, leader  
of Tammany Hall: "The Convention will decide."

The significance of this admission is that the President  
now stands before the people not as their President only, but  
as A CANDIDATE FOR OFFICE.

The hesitation to criticize the President, the disposition to  
ascribe his failures to his advisers, the feeling that however  
mistaken his measures his purposes should not be questioned  
—all of which surrounds the President with a sort of halo as  
well as a protecting envelope against criticism—cease to avail  
him.

As A CANDIDATE he stands on the same plane with  
other candidates.

His fitness will be gauged in comparison with others.  
His record becomes a legitimate subject for dissection,  
analysis and attack.

The people will have little patience with the fork-tongued  
likes and his careless epithets directed at all criticism of the  
Administration; or with the flippant jibes of "Happy" Hop-  
kins, the two-handed spender, or with the plaintive cry against  
destructive criticism from "In the Bag" Farley.

If the President has violated his pledges, or taken too  
casually his oath to uphold and defend the Constitution, or  
brought the nation by reckless waste and spending to the  
verge of bankruptcy, it will not only be noted but categorically  
stated and powerfully maintained.

To those who sincerely believe this to be the truth, it  
CEASES TO BE AN ANSWER that the President is doing  
the best he can and should not be subjected to criticism.

The hoity toity little figures of the present Administration,  
who are so sensitive to any criticism of the muddled confusion  
into which they have brought their departments, must soothe  
their proud flesh.

There is but one answer to such criticism, and that is to  
refute it.

AND DENIAL MUST BE SUPPORTED BY FACTS!  
The President—like every other candidate for re-election,  
great or small—must stand upon his record.

He cannot stand on anything else—and it remains to be  
seen whether he can stand—erect and at ease—even on that!

## VERY REV. R. H. SMITH TO BE BURIED TOMORROW

Former Provincial of Wash-  
ington Province Dies After  
Ten Days' Illness

WAS 68 YEARS OLD

LANGHORNE, Dec. 10.—The Very  
Reverend R. H. Smith, S. M., who died  
at St. Mary's Manor, Sunday, will be  
buried in St. Andrew's Cemetery, New-  
town, tomorrow, following services  
here.

Funeral plans call for a Solemn  
High Mass at 10 a. m. in the chapel of  
St. Mary's Manor, with Provincial Joseph  
P. Sullivan, of Washington, D. C.,  
officiating, aided by several priests.

The late priest, who was 68 years of  
age, had been ill but 10 days when  
death occurred. He suffered a heart  
attack.

One sister, Mrs. P. J. Duffy, Monroe,  
La., survives.

Born in Hartford, Conn., the Rev.  
Father Smith, spent his early life in  
Louisiana. He graduated from Jeffer-  
son College, Louisiana, in 1885, and  
then entered the Marist Society.

The deceased was president of Jeffer-  
son College from 1905 until 1923,  
when he became Provincial of the  
Washington province of the Society of  
Mary. He relinquished that post in  
1930, when he came to St. Mary's  
Manor.

An expenditure of 25 cents for a  
classified advertisement will sell for  
you that piece of furniture which you  
no longer need. And you'll receive  
several dollars in return.—(Advertise-  
ment.)

## NEWTOWNBORO' TO HAVE BALANCE AT YEAR'S END

Debt of \$3,000 Paid During  
Past Year By The  
Boro' Council

STREET WORK DONE

NEWTOWN, Dec. 10.—No debt will  
be chalked against Newtown borough  
at the end of 1935, a balance of  
\$1048.41 being shown in the treasury  
at the close of the December meeting.

Through economy a debt of \$3,000  
was paid off during this year.

A special meeting of Council will  
be held on Monday night, December  
30, to pay about \$500 of regular bills  
for the month of December. Council  
desires that all outstanding bills be  
presented before this date.

The new Council will reorganize on  
Monday evening, January 6. The only  
change in membership as a result of  
the election will be that Wesley  
Pownall who will replace Robert  
Craig from the First Ward. The  
president of Council, D. Russell Bond,  
and J. Norman VanArtsdalen were re-  
turned for four year terms from the  
Second Ward.

Mr. Craig will retire after fifteen  
years service in Council. Most of this  
time he has been chairman of the  
street committee.

The treasurer's report at this week's  
meeting showed a balance of \$863.69  
in the bond account to pay off \$8000  
in borough bonds when they fall due  
and the interest in the meanwhile.  
The pell tax and fountain funds also  
have favorable balances.

Mr. Craig reported that the street  
commissioner had been busy during  
the month cleaning leaves from the  
gutters and culverts, some of which  
had been flushed by the fire depart-  
ment.

The underdrain at State and Centre  
streets was reported blocked and he  
thought the street will need opening  
to find the cause.

Regular use of the Courier classified  
column is economical and profitable.

## Young Women Fete Two On Birthday Anniversaries

Frank Flatch, Otter street, and  
Peter Bornice, Lafayette street, were  
tendered a birthday surprise party  
Saturday evening, given by the Misses  
Adeline and Angeline Oriolo, at their  
home, 604 Wood street. The evening  
was spent dancing and playing cards.  
A repast was served. The guests of  
honor received gifts.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. C.  
Oriolo, Mr. and Mrs. L. Oriolo, Misses  
Clementine and Mary Oriolo, Marie  
Russo, Anna Manze, Cora Bornice,  
Rose Flatch, Eugene Squillace, Romeo  
Cataline, Anthony Angelo.

## EXPECT COURT TO END WITH TRIALS TODAY

2 Cases Remain to be Disposed  
Of At This Court  
Term

ADMIT J. ROSS TO BAR

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 10.—John Ross,  
son of Thomas Ross, well known  
Doylestown attorney, was admitted to  
the Bar of Bucks County yesterday.  
The oath was administered by Presi-  
dent Judge Hiram H. Keller.

The second week of criminal court  
opened. With two cases remaining to  
be disposed of, court will probably be  
completed today.

Joseph Koswoke, of near Perkasio,  
who was convicted last week on  
charges of robbing two Perkasio  
stores, was sentenced by Judge Calvin  
S. Boyer to serve 3 months to three  
years in the Bucks County Prison.

In the Orphans' Court, the following  
order was handed down in the estate  
of Anna Bell Fox, deceased: "The ap-  
peal from the appraisal for inheri-  
tance tax purposes is sustained as to  
the contributions of the decedent's  
children to the trust fund and is dis-  
missed as to the contribution of the  
decedent and the appraisal direct-  
ed to be amended and corrected in  
accordance with the opinion of the  
Court."

In the Court of Common Pleas, in  
the case of William W. Winner vs.  
Thelma M. Winner: sub sur divorce;  
Receptions to master's report. The  
exceptions are dismissed, the master's  
report stands.

## Hi-Y Boys, Bristol High, Attend Week-End Conference

Twelve boys of the Bristol High  
School Hi-Y organization attended the  
annual Southeast Area Older Boys'  
Conference, at Bethlehem, over the  
week-end. This conference was held  
under the sponsorship of the Y. M. C.  
A. in the state. It lasted from Friday  
afternoon until Sunday morning.

The local boys with their leader,  
John Buriss, a member of the faculty  
at the local high school, included:  
Johnson Orr, Joseph Snyder, Harry  
Baurath, Jack Frazer, Oscar Booz,  
Howard Baker, Melvin Fry, Walter  
Fagan, Fred Randall, George Brown  
and John Richardson.

The program was started on Friday  
afternoon when registration took  
place and the boys were assigned to  
homes for the week-end. Following  
this a meeting of the officers of the  
conference was held. These included:  
President, Robert Schreiber, Bethle-  
hem; vice president, Al Foster, Ger-  
mantown; secretary, J. Francis Price,  
Chester. Friday evening the opening  
banquet was held. Address of wel-  
come was tendered by Mayor Robert  
Pfeiffer, Bethlehem, who addressed the  
boys first. His honor stressed the point  
that privileged boys should have  
the same privileges as other lads. He  
stated that a Y. M. C. A. should be  
organized in Bethlehem. His honor  
was followed by Harry W. Gibson,  
Boston, chief speaker of the conference,  
who addressed the delegates on  
"How Much Are You Worth." Mr.  
Gibson gave the boys a speech on  
good behavior while they were visiting  
the city. He also gave ten sarcastic  
reasons why a full-blooded American  
man should swear.

Saturday morning, Mr. Gibson again  
addressed the boys, this time on the  
subject of "What Did You Bring With  
You?" Mr. Gibson this time talked on  
"Not What You Brought in Your Suit-  
case But What You Brought in Spirit-  
ual Matters." He suggested that the  
boys enter the discussion groups with  
a receptive mind and clean thoughts.  
He also stressed the point that "a  
winner never knocks and a knocker  
never wins."

Following the address the delegates  
were separated into divisional groups,  
and projects were informally discus-  
sed by the members. After an intermis-  
sion the delegates were served a  
luncheon.

In the afternoon the delegates were  
treated to a visit to Lehigh University.  
They were welcomed by President  
Williams of the college. In the evening  
the lads had another banquet after  
which they were addressed by Ira  
Thomas, former catcher and now chief  
scout for the Philadelphia Athletics in  
the American League. Thomas related  
many of his experiences not only on  
the diamond but in his present work  
of scouting for Connie Mack.

On Sunday morning Mr. Gibson  
concluded the convention by address-  
ing the boys on "The Challenge of the  
Changing World of the Boy Today."

## LATEST NEWS - - - Received by International News Service Leased Wires.

## Ciomingo Gains New Lease On Life

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 10.—Sixteen-  
year-old Jack Ciomingo, youngest  
slayer ever doomed to death by the  
Burlington County jury, today gained  
a new lease of life.

Counsel for Ciomingo and George  
Hildebrand, 26, sentenced to be elec-  
trocuted the week of January 5th for  
the murder of Herman Eller, an aged  
neighbor, announced he will file a writ  
of error with the State Court of Er-  
rors and Appeals.

The action will lengthen the carry-  
ing out of the death penalty until the  
Appellate Court acts on the writ,  
which probably will not be before  
February.

## Campaign Underway

Washington, Dec. 10.—President  
Roosevelt returned to the capital today  
with the organization of his campaign  
for re-election already scheduled.

His speeches in Atlanta and Chicago  
during his weeks of absence leave no  
doubt that he proposes to fight it out.

The real beginning of the Demo-  
cratic campaign, however, is chalked  
down for January 8th. On that date  
the Democratic National Committee  
will be assembled in Washington to  
choose a convention site and make  
other arrangements. There will be a  
big Jackson Day dinner at which Mr.  
Roosevelt will be chief speaker. There  
will be other Jackson Day dinners  
throughout the country.

## Blames Dispute on U. S.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.—Roland S.  
Morris, former ambassador to Japan,  
today viewed the United States as re-  
sponsible for the present dispute be-  
tween China and Japan.

"Until 1929 Japan sent raw silk to  
the United States and took in return  
raw cotton which is manufactured and  
shipped to China," Morris explained.

"Japan's silk is no longer bought  
here . . . so that country had to look  
for a cotton supply. They found cot-  
ton could be grown in part of China."

## NAME STUDENTS WITH PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Each Room at Tullytown Pub-  
lic School is Well  
Represented

ALSO FOR OCTOBER

TULLYTOWN, Dec. 10.—The follow-  
ing pupils of the Tullytown school  
have had a perfect attendance record  
for the term to date:

Primary room, Miss Marion E.  
Wells, teacher: Louise Bachofer, Mary  
Carman, Angeline Everk, Betty  
Swangler, Virginia Tyrell, Shirley  
Wright, James Burton, Charles Car-  
len, Junior Cavin, Jimmie Gliardi,  
Vincent Lucisano, Benny Mazzocchi,  
Joseph Mazzocchi, Louis Napoli, Mi-  
chael Pezza, Earl Pope, Eugene Swang-  
ler, Edwin Termyna, Billie Zukero,  
Intermediate room, Miss S. Elsie  
Eitenger, teacher: Betty Bachofer,  
Emily Heller, Gertrude Termyna,  
Frances Monti, Anna Mae Stake, Fran-  
ces Pezza, Helen Lucisano, Martin  
Grose, Joseph Napoli, Glenn Stake,  
Albert Lovett, George Cutchinal,  
Richard Davis, Lester Heller, Gerald  
Slager, John Silvi, Gene Mather,  
Myron June, John Zukero, Joseph  
Lovett, Joseph Cutchinal.

Grammar room, George Iterly, prin-  
cipal: Helen Schaffer, Pauline Heller,  
Lottie Termyna, Julia Spangler,  
Gloria Swangler, Irene Updike, Sonia  
Johnson, Joseph Lovett, Jack Heible,  
Harry June, Alfred Heller, Louis  
Lucisano, Kenneth Parr, Lawrence  
Silvi.

The following scholars had a per-  
fect record for the month of Novem-  
ber: Dorothy Monti, Marie Napoli,  
Virginia Walters, Doris Hirst, John  
DiCicco, Jackie Miller, Richard An-  
derson, Michael Birolli, William Tyr-  
rell, John Carinelli, William Rousseau,  
Mary Carinelli, Christine Johnson,  
Viola Schaffer, Laura Bachofer, Patty  
Clay, Margaret Markey, Rose Di-  
Cicco, Dorothy Polak, Jean Burton,  
William Abute, William Lynch, Wil-  
liam Lovett, Albert Monti.

## BUREAUCRACY AND TAXES

"The suppression of unnecessary offices, of useless establish-  
ments and expenses, enabled us to discontinue our internal taxes.  
These, covering our land with officers and opening our doors to  
their intrusions, had already begun that process of domiciliary  
 vexation which, once entered, is scarcely to be restrained from  
reaching successively every article of property and produce."  
—THOMAS JEFFERSON, Second Inaugural  
Address, March 4, 1805.

## COUNCIL TO APPLY FOR WPA FUNDS FOR NEW WATER FILTERS

Plan to Replace Four Units In  
Service Since  
1906

COST TO BE \$12,000

Borough Will Furnish Labor in  
Approximately an Equal  
Amount

Borough Council last night decided  
to apply for WPA funds for the in-  
stallation of four new filters at the  
water works. The borough will fur-  
nish all of the material and the WPA  
to furnish the labor. The four filters  
which are to be replaced have been in  
service ever since the filtration system  
was installed in 1906. The new ones  
to be installed will each have a capac-  
ity of a half million gallons every 24  
hours. The cost to the borough for the  
material will be about \$12,000 and the  
cost of the labor to WPA will be ap-  
proximately an equal amount.

Council authorized application to  
the State Health Department for a  
permit to install the new filters.

Approval was given to a three year  
contract with the Philadelphia Elec-  
tric Company for electrical energy un-  
der a new tariff filed December 2nd  
with the Public Service Commission.  
The borough will save approximately  
\$2500 under the new rates, it is esti-  
mated, based upon the 1934 consump-  
tion.

The borough solicitor, Howard I.  
James, gave council an opinion in re-  
gard to establishing a building line in  
the 300 block on Jefferson avenue. The  
solicitor informed council that any  
building line established must be uni-  
form and that the courts had never  
definitely ruled whether it was a police  
function or one of legislative enact-  
ment.

Serrill D. Detlefson was retained a  
member of the health board for a term  
of five years.

Police committee reported 12 arrests  
during the month. Six were held for  
court, four fined, one discharged and  
one turned over to police of other city.

One hundred and sixteen lodgers  
were given shelter, one arc and 16 in-  
candescent street lights were reported  
out during the month. Four doors  
were reported open after hours.

A communication was received from  
George Younger suggesting a parking  
plan for cars on Farragut avenue and  
Pond street. It was referred to the  
Department of Public Safety.

Chief Jones turned over 27 as re-  
ceipts from permit to play Sunday  
ball games.

## Senator Norton Dies

Reading, Dec. 10.—State Senator  
James E. Norton, 63-year-old veteran  
Berks County Republican, died sud-  
denly last night in Boston, according  
to word received by his family here  
today.

Norton, the report said, was strick-  
en at a meeting of the Royal Arcanum  
of which he was national treasurer.  
In 1920 he became the first Republican  
ever elected to be State Senator from  
Berks County, and was re-elected in  
1924, 1928 and 1932.

## SON FOR RUSHTONS

A son was born November 25th to  
Dr. and Mrs. J. Henry Rushton, of  
33 Roselawn avenue, Lansdowne, Dr.  
Rushton is a member of the faculty of  
Drexel Institute and the son, Edward  
Wester Rushton, 2nd, was born on his  
father's birthday. Dr. Rushton is the  
son of the Rev. and Mrs. Henry Rushton,  
formerly of Bristol. Rev. Rushton  
was pastor of the Methodist Church here.

## INSTALL OFFICERS

Installation of officers for Joseph A.  
Schumacher Post, 1592, took place Fri-  
day evening. Those installed: Com-  
mander, J. Oliver Bowers; senior vice  
commander, William J. Convery; junior  
vice commander, Conway Keeney;  
chaplain, the Rev. Andrew G. Solla;  
officer of the day, James Court; adju-  
tant, Clarence Kempton; quartermas-  
ter, George Distler; trustees, Fred  
Tochterman,



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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1935

### WEATHER

The weather is just a big slosh to Mr. Maxwell, instructor in meteorology at Northwestern University. We often have felt the same way about it, particularly of late, but there is nothing emotional in this meteorologist's summation of the subject. His views enjoy a scientific basis.

His theory of the weather is that storms and other evidences of nature's nervousness are caused by slight but nonetheless well-known variations in the relative motions of the earth, the moon and the sun. These variations have an effect on gravity and cause the earth's atmosphere to "slosh about," producing high and low pressure areas, winds, storms, chills, heat prostrains, epizootic and weather. By keeping track of such heavenly dizzy spells, Mr. Maxwell thinks he can predict the weather two years in advance, the epizootic following as a matter of course.

The last we heard, long-range weather forecasting was being based with great confidence on sun-spots, the high priest of this cult being Dr. Abbott of the Smithsonian Institution. Professional jealousy may become involved here, but we suggest that, if Dr. Abbott and Mr. Maxwell will get together, they probably will discover that sun-spots cause the erraticism of lunar and terrestrial motion or vice versa. Then everything will be jake.

Long-range forecasting is a serious subject and promises results of inestimable utility to the human race; yet our present excusable dour attitude toward the whole matter of low pressure areas prevents us getting much excited.

### SAWING WOOD

We find that sawing firewood still suggests itself to city folks as a winter interest and exercise. The cases reported indicate quite a change since the times when, with nearly everybody doing it, sawing wood entered the language as an expression for industrious work at anything.

The hardware stores are found stocked with bucksaws, shaped on the general plan of a harp. But sawbucks?

"No," say the hardware people. "We have no sawbucks today. Nary customer has asked for sawbuck for a long, long time."

Well, a homemade sawbuck will do, especially if a carpenter makes it. Then the wood. Persistence and miles of travel are required to find wood long enough to saw on a sawbuck with a bucksaw. The wood men say all their wood is already sawed to fireplace lengths, by machinery.

It still takes muscle to saw wood. But as an invigorating winter exercise it is worth the effort.

**Celebrity:** A person who lives on the reputation of good work he did long ago.

Example of man having the last word: "Well, go ahead and buy the darned thing."

If nobody in the family makes catty remarks about her beau, all of the other girls are married.

A local depression casualty has come back so strongly since 1929 he recently restored \$1.13 in pennies to the baby's bank.

## INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF NEARBY TOWNS

### HULMEVILLE

Joseph Everitt conducted the business session of the Epworth League at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. T. William Smith, last evening. Patches on an apron recently sent among League members produced the sum of \$6.11 for the treasury. Following business, refreshments were served by the hostess, and games were played.

Mrs. Walter Illick, Upper Black Eddy, a frequent visitor here, is a patient in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J.

### TULLYTOWN

Mrs. David Lyndall, Trenton, has been spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlen.

Mrs. Maude Garman, Morrisville, was a visitor with friends here Thursday.

Mrs. John Lafave and son, Samuel Lafave, Trenton, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doan.

Mrs. Elsie Carlen has been visiting in New York.

Mrs. Elris Wright was a visitor with Mrs. George Goodfellow, Edgewater Park, N. J., Wednesday.

J. Alfred Bodine, Wilmington, N. C., was a Saturday and Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher A. Johnson.

Peter Couthineal, who has been ill in Cleveland, O., has recovered, and returned to his home.

Mrs. William J. Wright was a visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Kerr, Edgely, Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Johnson, Trenton, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Walters, Sr., Sunday.

A meeting of the Tullytown Volunteer Fire Company will be held at the fire house this evening. All members are urged to be present as nomination of officers will be held at this meeting.

Miss Patricia Clay has been spending a few days at the home of Miss Mary Ann Morgan, Morrisville.

### EDDINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. G. Haenchen paid a recent visit to the Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Keifer, Lehighton. The Rev. Keifer was a former pastor of Cornwells M. E. Church.

On Friday evening the P. N. A. Ladies Club of Philadelphia, held its second banquet in Eddington Inn. An enjoyable turkey dinner was served, and a delightful time enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Vandegrift's nine-year-old daughter, Edith, died Friday evening in Frankford Hospital.

On Saturday morning, Frank Donahar was taken to the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia.

Joseph Diamanti's unbeaten and untied Andalusia A. A. set back Ed Morgan's Eddington Trojans, Sunday, at Eddington field, by a 15-0 score.

On December 6th, a play, "For Rent—Furnished," was presented by the Sunday School Class of Mrs. C. Burnley White. Members of the cast included: Anna Hunter, Joseph Hetherington, Lillian Hetherington, Albert Rogers, Janet Hetherington, George Tibbets, Margaret Shapcott, Eleanor Davis, Ruth Hetherington, Bruce MacKenzie, Stanley Vandegrift, Lawrence Davis, George Tibbets, accompanied by Eleanor Davis, favored the audience with two violin selections. Mrs. Otto Grupp sang, being accompanied by Mrs. White. Mrs. Gardner also sang.

### YARDLEY

Miss Elizabeth S. Weeks has returned home after spending a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton E. Rich.

Mrs. Julia K. Bellerjeau has returned from Baltimore, Md., where she spent some time as guest of her sister, Mrs. George Hailer.

Miss Elizabeth Clayton has returned home after spending the week-end with Mrs. Behn, Haddonfield, N. J.

### EDGELY

Miss Dorothy Blinn, Trenton, N. J., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William King. Sunday guests at the King home were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blinn and daughter Norma, and Mrs. Sarah Tomlinson, Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Dea were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Hilda Wunsch, South Langhorne.

The monthly meeting of Edgely School Association will be postponed from December 12th until December

20th, due to the Christmas entertainment planned by teachers, and given by pupils. About 75 children will take part. The monthly card party sponsored by the Association will be held on Tuesday evening, December 17th. Mrs. Roy Moon is in charge.

### FALLSINGTON

Mrs. Edward Reading and daughter, Kathryn, were Sunday visitors in New York.

The Rev. F. R. Smith was a Sunday visitor in Orange, N. J.

Mrs. Sara Woolston and Dr. Horace Woolston, Collingswood, N. J., were Sunday visitors at the Woolston Farm.

The Mary A. Williamson Guild met at the home of the Misses Moon, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Norman Conover entertained at cards on Tuesday evening; Miss Mary Hamilton, Miss Amy Wells, Mrs. Lewis Link, Mrs. Charles Hiss, Mrs. Walter Wells, Mrs. Matthew Kyle and Mrs. F. J. Maple.

Mrs. Anna L. Roberts had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leedom, Miss Helen Leedom, Yardley; Mrs. Sarah Smith; Miss Sarah Satterthwaite, Newtown; and Mr. and Mrs. Max I. Reich, Morrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Longshore and daughter Gladys, Dolington, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowman.

The Ladies' Aid of Fallsington M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Raymond Davis. Present were: Mrs. J. Wilmer Whitlock, Mrs. Arthur Bowman, Mrs. Herman Heavener, Mrs. William Drews, Miss Mary Watson, Mrs. Anna Wharton, and the Rev. W. H. A. Williams, pastor of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hibbs, Bristol Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Church, Langhorne.

Walter De Lashmunt was a recent visitor in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Windle have gone to Florida for the winter.

Paul Sthen and Ralston Spitz have been on a gunning trip at St. Mary's, Elk County. Willits Smith, Harry Hewitt and John Tomlinson, have been deer hunting in McKean and Cameron Counties; Herman Heavener, Albert Hibbs and Alfred Bond, in Pike County.

Plans for the W. C. T. U. supper on Thursday have been dropped, due to the absence of Mrs. Jane E. Bacon, at whose home it was to have been held.

The Children's Christmas entertainment, All Saints' Episcopal Sunday School, will be held on Sunday morning, December 22nd, at 10:30.

Miss Margaretta Watson, Schuylkill Haven, has been spending some time with her cousins, Misses Dorothea and Eleanor White.

Twenty-four persons attended the covered dish luncheon given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Falls Town-

ship Fire Company, in the Fire House, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lord, Yardley, announce the birth of a son, Roger Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Lord were former residents of Fallsington.

Miss Bertha Kish, New York, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. August Rose.

Miss Evelyn Fritz celebrated her 12th birthday in the McKinley Hospital, where she has been a patient for some time.

Robert Frazer, blind evangelist, of Philadelphia, held services in the Community Hall, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heavener entertained members of the Delaware Valley Grange, Thursday evening.

Miss Kathryn Reading was a recent dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Steiner, Morrisville.

Christmas carols will be sung in All Saints' Church on Christmas eve; celebration of the Holy Communion, at midnight, is also planned.

Miss Jean Waite, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Waite has returned to her studies at Penn State. Miss Waite is training for a dietitian.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Foster recently entertained, Mr. and Mrs. Brington, Philadelphia; Charles Steckel, Blairstown, N. J.; Frank Steckel, Nazareth; and Catherine Cope, Fallsington.

Frank Coghlan has been visiting his father in Philadelphia.

### STOLE FOR CHILDREN

LOS ANGELES — (INS) — Appearing in Federal Court with a two-months old child in her arms, Mrs. Esther Machado pleaded guilty to forging a \$9 S. E. R. A. check in order to feed her five children, and was given a suspended sentence of 18 months. Mrs. Machado admitted taking the check from a neighbor's mail box and stated that she was unable to get enough relief funds from local sources.

### SURPRISE TO RANCHERS

GUNNISON, Colo. — (INS) — Ranchers living in the mountain country 16 miles east of here pinched themselves to see if they were dreaming. Swinging his trunk contentedly in the frosty mountain air was a huge elephant. Beside him trotted a striped zebra. After satisfying themselves that they were in the wilds of Gunnison county, and not in far-off Ethiopia or India, they rounded up the animals and learned the pachyderm and his striped companion had escaped when a circus truck had overturned on a mountain highway.

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## "WIFE IN CUSTODY" by BEATRICE LUBITZ

### CHAPTER XXIV

Early that morning as Walter and Helen were preparing for bed, Helen tentatively reminded Walter of his suggestion that they use the farm as a Summer home.

"Do you really mean you wouldn't mind living way out there in the sticks, Helen?"

"Not if you wouldn't mind the commuting."

"Mind! I'd love it, I'd be able to think on the trains!"

"We'll have a whole house to ourselves."

"You won't be lonesome all day alone, Helen?"

"Not if I have you evenings."

He gathered her up in his arms. "Boy, will we have fun!"

"We'll be Darby and Joan by the fireside."

"I'll smoke a corncob pipe!"

"Oh, Walter, has it roses creeping up the door?"

"Bugs, most likely."

"I don't care," she declared stoutly. "We'll kill the bugs and substitute roses."

Walter clutched at the idea as at a straw. Not for the world would he admit even to himself that he longed to be out of earshot of his sisters for a few hours of his busy, hectic days. Nor did Helen ever utter a word of complaint about them.

It was a triumph of fortune, their endurance.

They were in a fever of joy over each step of the remodeling and furnishing. Helen had two haleyoon months shopping for furniture. Almost every day she phoned Dirk.

Walter too hesitated to buy so much as a chair without Dirk's sanction.

"I'm afraid we're making nuisances of ourselves, Dirk," Walter apologized, "but hang it, man, you do know so much that I'd like to know!"

"Nonsense, Walt, I've just picked up a bit knocking around places. I'm only too glad to help. Helen is a pleasure to work with. She's so honest and thorough."

"She sure is," Walter declared fervently. "She's a peach!"

Every day Helen took the morning train out to Bound Brook to supervise the carpenters. The house was a long, rambling farmhouse built of native stone and shingles but in an appalling state of neglect.

It had attractive possibilities and the trees and foliage were magnificent, although neglected. When Walter and his mother had lived there, they hadn't bothered to do more than slap together a haphazard kitchen and furnish two of the bedrooms. The girls had been there once and couldn't get away fast enough. They were sardonic now about Walter's desire to make a Summer home of it.

"I think it's a mistake, Walt," Irene said, "to permit Helen to undertake all that expensive decoration. It's going to run into money. You're doing a big job here. I see you're letting Helen use the car too. I don't think it's safe."

"She's a very careful driver," he protested.

She shrugged. "You're getting to be a regular ninny," she said crossly.

"What's the matter, old girl?" He lapsed into his old affectionate name for her. "Something wrong?"

"Wrong!" She made an impatient gesture. "You for one—your marriage. And then I'm bored! I'm bored with this place, for instance. I'm bored with you and I'm bored with Dirk! Oh, I told Dirk I was bored yesterday apropos of the old Kayle dispute and he said being bored was a confession of extreme inadequacy—both of mind and of soul! How's that for sophistry?"

"Let him alone."

She glared at her brother. "What a comfort you are to me!"

"Listen, Irene, I do want to see you happy. Do you want a vacation from the shop? Take a couple

of months off. You look pretty seedy, young thing."

"For the fact," Irene interrupted. "Your salary will go on."

"Thanks, Walt, you are a darling. But that's only an escape, not a solution. Still, I'll think of it. How is your place looking out there in the wilds?"

"Mighty nice, Irene. The carpenters and plumbers are through. Some of the furniture is in. It looks real nice."

"When will it be finished?"

"In a week or two. I hope you and Dirk will come out for a week-end."

"Don't count on it. We're pretty solidly booked. But I still think it's a mistake to put too much money into it, Walter. How much is it costing you?" she demanded.

"Oh, not much. I can't say off hand."

"Well, let me know. I'll find out from the Moores what their remodeling job cost in New Hampshire. It shouldn't cost you more."

"It's not costing much," he repeated, annoyed. "We haven't furnished a home in the city, you must remember."

"Well, now that you've brought the matter up, Walter, I might as well tell you that it was exceedingly extravagant of you to have leased an apartment for two years and now to just close it up high and dry and go off to your farm. I told Helen so last Wednesday. The little ninny! She's as bad as Agnes; just dissolves into tears."

"Helen cried?" He was startled. "She never told me anything."

"She's a sly little thing."

"I wish you'd let her alone, Irene. It's none of your business what we do."

"Oh, is that so?" she flared. "Say, I don't like this high and mighty attitude of yours and don't think you're going to get away with it! We've built up this business and don't you forget it. If it weren't for me you'd be a silly clerk somewhere."

"Please don't get excited, Irene. I have no intention of doing high-brow. I know you've done it all. Good Lord, Irene, all I've done is fix up the farm a little to make it habitable and you'd think I'd bought the Frick Mansion. Come on, don't let your private disappointments out on me and please don't. I mean, lay off, Helen. She's a wonderful girl. You'd like her, too, if you'd only give her half a chance."

"Oh, get out of here. You're a ninny too! I'm in a state of nerves, I tell you. I'm not in the market to be sold on Helen. Money is so damn tight that I couldn't afford it anyway."

Walter hesitated. "I don't mind giving you a temporary hand, old girl."

"What good will that do?" She shrugged. "But you're sweet to suggest it."

"This branch doesn't warrant it. . . the girls will be wild if they find out. . .," he ruminated. "Carl tells Agnes everything and if I increased your check, the others would raise hell."

"I could use the money," she said gently, "but of course I know how things are."

"Look here, Irene, I'll tell you what. I'll give you fifty more a week out of my own pocket. I guess it's the only way so the others won't get wind of it. Now will that make you happy?" he coaxed.

Her eyes gleamed. "It will help," she temporized, "but fifty is like a drop in the sea." She stared at him steadily. He dropped his eyes.

"If I make it more, it's going to tighten things up for me."

"Well, it's your suggestion, not mine," she retorted crossly.

"Will a hundred make you happy?"

"She smiled. "Oh, Walter, you are a darling. I'm sorry I was cross at you. Come here, let me kiss you."

There. You're the only comfort I have. You're sweet and generous and a hundred helps a lot. But nothing will make me happy while Dirk is obstinate over that job."

She sighed. "If only Dirk were like you, Walter!"

Over the Fourth of July the Rileys thought it would be an amusing way of spending the holiday to see what Helen had done with the ugly old farmhouse.

"We can stay at the inn if the place isn't habitable."

"I stay at the farm," Anastasia stated grimly.

Fourth of July that year came on a Monday. On Saturday afternoon they drove out in Anastasia's limousine; Agnes and Carl, Stella and Jerry and Ethel. Eddie sat squeezed between the chauffeur and Jerry.

The farm lay between Bound Brook and New Brunswick on the charming river road. As the car swung up the curved driveway to the house, the girls uttered an exclamation of amazement. The house stood about a quarter of a mile off the main road and the lawn was smooth as velvet.

The house had been repainted a creamy white with green trimmings. New green awnings shaded the windows and fringed the broad open piazza on the south. Potted plants, yellow wicker porch chairs and a green striped gliding couch looked cool and inviting on the screen-enclosed porch.

Walter, in soiled white knickers and white sneakers, was playing tennis with Helen and another girl on the newly leveled tennis court.

The two came running now toward them.

"Why, what a surprise!" Walt waved his racket. "Hello, mama. Hello, everybody."

"Oh, hello, mother. Did you have a hot drive? Come in! You must be dying for a cold drink!"

Helen helped them out of the car. "See, you certainly have a lovely place," Eddie sighed. "I wouldn't mind having a studio here."

"Maybe Walt will build you one," Ethel suggested, shaking herself. "Whew! That was a hot drive. Let's go in. Walt has enough room here to build us a nice house. How about it, Walt?"

"My Lord, Walt, you must have spent a fortune," Agnes complained. "I wouldn't know the place."

"Do you like it?" Helen asked happily.

"What did you do here?" Anastasia demanded. "Make two rooms into one?"

"Yes, mother, we threw out two partitions and made the hall, that ugly little dining room and the living room into one big room; then we made the kitchen into the dining room and built on a new kitchen."

"Humph," Anastasia grunted. "It will be hard to heat such a big room in winter."

"It's really lovely," Ethel interrupted. "I love this early American pine. You've made it very nice, Helen; really, you've done quite nicely. We'll have a nice place now for week-ends where we can all be together."

"Hello, what happened to our game?" Belle stood in the open door, her charming face glistening with perspiration.

"Come in, dear, and meet Walter's mother and sisters. This is my little sister, Belle."

"How do you game?" Jerry asked, sidling to the door. Belle had pulled her dark brown hair back tight from her small sun-burned face. Her eyes were as blue as cornflowers and her teeth were dazzling in contrast to her tanned skin.

"Terrible," she said gaily. (To Be Continued.)

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## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. : : :

### Events for Tonight

Card party in American Legion Home for the Bristol Cadets.

### HAVE GUESTS

John Spangler and Paul Richard have returned to Red Lion after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Force, 329 Monroe street.

James Vannett, Philadelphia, formerly of Bristol, was a recent guest of relatives and friends in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roche and daughter Mildred, Mrs. Earl Gordon, Trenton, N. J., were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roche, Locust street.

Harold Appleton, Newark, N. J., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Appleton, Maple Beach.

Mrs. Robert Sullivan, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moore, 327 Monroe street.

Mrs. Bessie Campbell, Clymer street, had as recent guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Campbell and family, Morrisville; Miss Evelyn Campbell, Trenton, N. J., and James Quill, Yardley. Misses Helen Zavlin, Helen Drake and Elizabeth Krammer, Trenton, N. J., were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Elmer, 592 Swain street. Mrs. Frank McNichol and son Edward, Torresdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McNichol, Holmesburg, were Friday guests at the Elmer home.

### RETURN AFTER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, Pond street, on Friday visited their daughter Lura, who is a patient in Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia. Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Stanley Keers, Trenton avenue, were Sunday visitors of Lura, who is now recuperating.

Mrs. John Coleman and son Jack, Locust street, have returned from several days' visit with Mrs. Coleman's mother, Mrs. Wilkie, Florence, N. J.

### GO TO OTHER PLACES

Mr. and Mrs. James Flanagan, 1613 Wilson avenue, and their guest, Mrs. Kate Bailey, Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Chestnut Hill, visiting Mrs. Clara Dignam, a nurse at the Bel-Vista Sanitarium. Mr. Flanagan also attended a meeting Sunday at the American Federation Hall, Philadelphia.

phia. Mrs. Bailey will spend several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, Hulmeville.

Mrs. Minnie Bevan, 120 Dorrance street, and Miss Frances Patterson, Bath Road, passed the week-end in Elizabeth, N. J., visiting Mrs. Bevan's sister-in-law, Mrs. Clara Tomlinson.

Mrs. Sara McCoy, Beaver street, left Friday for Hulmeville, where she is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bilger.

### FETE MRS. SCHROEDER AT EDGELY RESIDENCE, HONORING BIRTHDAY

Gift Presented as a Memento Of the Pleasing Affair

EDGELY, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Charles Schroder was pleasantly surprised on Monday evening, when friends gathered to help celebrate her birthday. The evening was spent in playing "500" and pinocle. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Philip Eckenroth, Mrs. Roland Quinn, Mrs. Burd Fowler, Mrs. Thomas G. Hawkes, Mrs. John Moyer, Mrs. Robert Pearson, Mrs. William Smyrl, Mrs. Walter Stilwell, Mrs. Joseph Schofield, Mrs. Herbert Banes, Mrs. Leo Lynn, Mrs. Emily Oakes, Mrs. Irvin Eddleman, Mrs. George Garretson, and Mrs. William O'Dea.

Mrs. Schroder was presented with a gift to remember the occasion.

### TWO DUELS IN A DAY

SZOMBATHELY, Hungary.—(INS)—Dr. John Piplich, 48, lawyer, fought two duels in a day, one with a sword and one with a pistol, with men whom he challenged for alleged insulting remarks about his wife. In the morning he fought with his sword against Dr. J. Velich, whom he left with dangerous wounds on the head and an arm almost cut off. He had a hasty lunch and then dashed to a little forest outside the town where he had a pistol duel with E. Kirchknopf, an engineer. Neither was injured.

COURIER CLASSIFIED ADS ARE SMALL BUT MIGHTY TRY ONE AND BE CONVINCED

## Expect Court to End With Trials Today

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report is approved and a divorce is refused.

The master's reports were approved and divorces will be granted upon the payment of costs in the following cases: Sallie Hellyer vs. Edwin V. Hellyer; Margaret V. Butcher vs. William Butcher; F. Eugene Sergeant vs. Helen A. Sergeant; Edgar Scheffey vs. May R. Scheffey; Naomi Moore vs. Charles Moore.

Joseph J. Davis, Lansdale junk dealer, went on trial without a jury before Judge Calvin S. Boyer charged with receiving stolen goods.

The first witness, Earl Stymiest, who with David Stempel and John Ochman pleaded guilty to larceny and receiving stolen goods last week before the Court, testified he was present when copper wire was sold to the defendant at the Warner home in Doylestown, July 4.

David Stempel, Hawthorne, N. J., described the appearance of wire as rolled in hoops. Stempel served as the spokesman for the trio and "talked business with the defendant."

"Davis gave us four-and-one-quarter or four-and-one-half cents a pound. We got \$10.50 for the wire. There might have been 15 to 20 bundles in three or four bags."

Stempel testified he did not tell the defendant anything about the wire. "Mr. Warner said he knew me and that

## Film Player and Suicide Wife



Failure to win place in films is said by Ross Alexander, featured motion picture actor, to have been reason for suicide of his wife, Anita, in Hollywood home, although he admits they quarreled just before tragedy. Mrs. Alexander, shown with her husband, was known on stage as Althea Freal.

I was alright," Stempel said. "If you have any more, bring it to my place in Lansdale," Davis told us," Stempel testified.

"I first asked Mr. Davis to buy the wire," said Stempel.

The boys, according to Stempel, had burned the wire to disguise its appearance as telegraph wire which was stolen from the Tuscarora Oil Co., Centre Bridge.

Harry B. Warren, investigator for the Tuscarora Oil Co., testified the wire was stolen from the Bucks county pumping station.

The market value at that time was 26 cents, and the junk value varied between 4 1/2 and 6 cents.

James A. Hawley, 41, of 1649 Germantown avenue, Philadelphia, pleaded guilty to a charge of felonious entry, larceny and receiving stolen goods, in connection with the theft of

171 dozens of ladies' hosiery from a South Langhorne plant.

Judge Keller sentenced Hawley to a term of not less than two nor more than ten years in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Hawley is married, his family consisting of a wife and eight children, ranging in ages from seventeen to three.

Trooper Walter Ertle, of the State Police, Reading, testified that he arrested Hawley and Charles Britton, of Philadelphia, and that Hawley confessed taking part in the South Langhorne affair, and getting \$90 "cut" out of the sale of the stolen stockings.

Britton is in the Berks County Prison at Reading and is implicated in the theft of hosiery in 24 mills in several States.

Hawley denied taking part in any other mill robberies, although Britton gave the officers a statement last Saturday, implicating Hawley in three other mill robberies.

Judge Keller told Hawley that because of the gravity of the offense the Court could show no more leniency.

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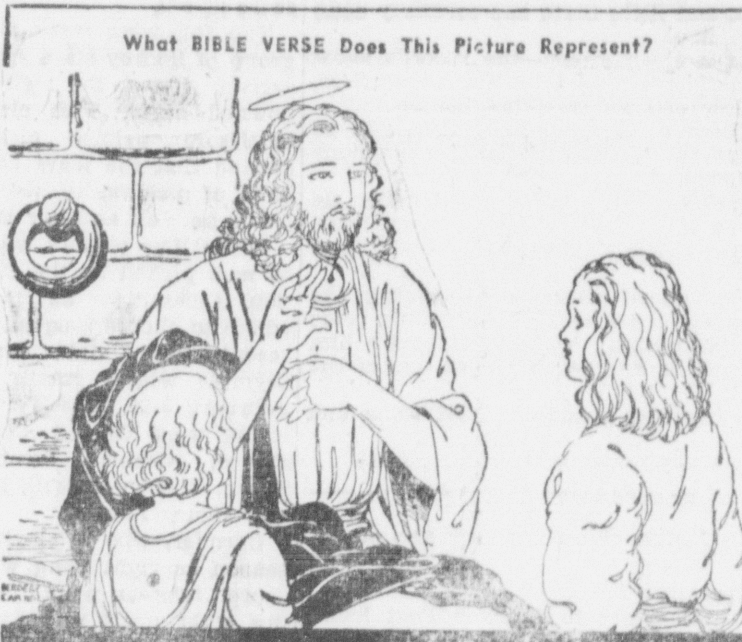
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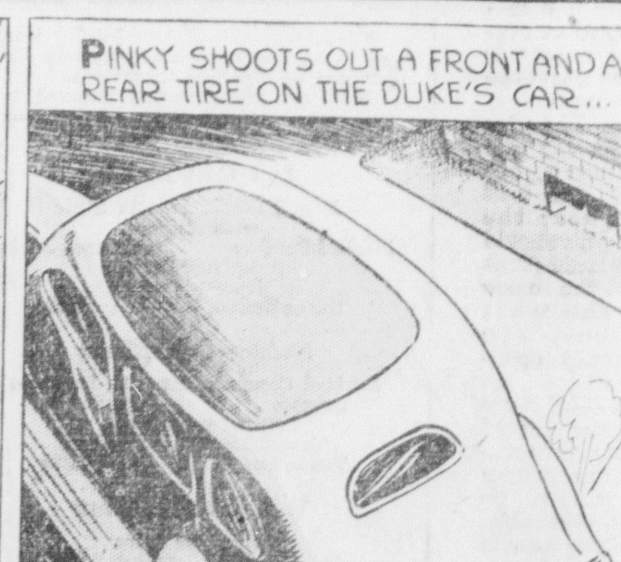
### Predicted Bombing



Dr. Telsa C. Nicola, one of the heads of the Seventh Day Adventist Hospital at Dessey, which was partially burned by Italian incendiary bombs, wrote New York friends one month ago that, in spite of American flag on the roof, the hospital might be target for bombing planes.

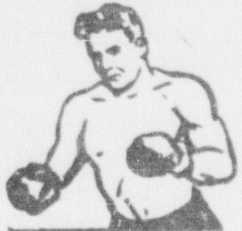
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AT THE SOUND OF PINKY'S SIGNAL SHOTS FOR POLICE AID—THE DUKE AND THE HANDSHAKER DECIDE TO SAVE THEIR OWN SKINS



EDDIE SULLIVAN and CHARLIE SCHMIDT





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## ROHM & HAAS WINS ALL FOUR GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
In the American Bowling League, Rohm & Haas won four points from the All-Stars. "Big Art" Phipps crashed the pins for a total of 557 to lead the "Chemical Makers." "Five-Star Joe" Barton was high man for the All-Stars, rolling the fine total of 562.

Rohm & Haas			
Kendig	150	165	197-512
Pfaffenrath	160	176	336
Pearson	153	165	308
Colville	169	181	355
Angus	150	149	299
Phipps	181	167	209-557
	793	823	932-2547

All-Stars			
Bell	175	160	170-505
Barton	201	177	384-562
Keers	131	192	323
Blind	100		100
Pursell	135	205	158-488
Loughbough			139-139
Blind	143	149	292
	754	822	833-2409

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
K. of C. held first place in the National League by swamping the strong A. O. H. five. Lovett led the Caseys with a total of 521, and "Jumping Joe" Mulligan led the "Fighting Irish" with a total of 456.

A. O. H.			
McDevitt	143	133	133-414
Bills	126	112	152-390
Rodgers	106	171	153-430
Mulligan	155	175	126-456
Tritschler	145	154	139-438
	675	745	708-2128

K. of C.			
Wilkinson	174	140	166-480
McGinley	135	167	120-422
Bailey	153	163	183-499
Lovett	171	180	170-521
Dareff	179	156	145-480
	812	806	784-2402

FEDERAL LEAGUE  
The Tullytown "Firemen" last night won three points from Taylor's "Pats." L. Appleton led the "Firemen" with a total of 470. Chile was "hot," getting a total of 479 for Taylor's.

Tullytown			
J. Zucker	137	136	145-418
C. Zucker	141	156	149-446
L. Appleton	127	173	170-470
J. Cutch	153	136	126-415
P. Carlen	125	147	166-438
	683	748	756-2187

Taylor's			
Thomas	150	126	118-394
Wayno	152	141	176-469
Fite	115	104	123-342
Chile	156	189	134-479
Taylor	165	148	162-475
	738	708	713-2159

### Clipper Makes Good Time

Alameda, Calif., Dec. 10—Crossing westward over the Pacific at 138 miles an hour, the Philippine Clipper at five a. m., Pacific standard time, today, had covered 1550 miles since taking off from Alameda Airport at 3:17 p. m., yesterday. 850 miles to go before reaching Honolulu, the first stopping point enroute to Manila.

### May Accept Hoare-Laval Proposal

Rome, Dec. 10—Italy probably will accept the Hoare-Laval peace proposal as a basis for negotiations. International News Service was reliably told today.

It was made clear, however, that this did not mean Premier Mussolini would approve the plan, but rather that he would accept it as a means of settling the dispute.

### Last Relief Grant to Penna.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10—"No matter what the situation is the last Federal relief grant has been made to Pennsylvania." That positive assertion of the government was made today by Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator, who believed problems of social security will become the greatest policy in America for the next 25 years.

Rushville, Ind., Dec. 10—Two gunmen who poured a stream of bullets into Indianapolis city detectives were surrounded in a house in Rush County near Milroy and captured by state police early today.

They surrendered without firing a shot, state police said. Both prisoners were rushed to Indianapolis for questioning.

## Ham and Cheese Combination

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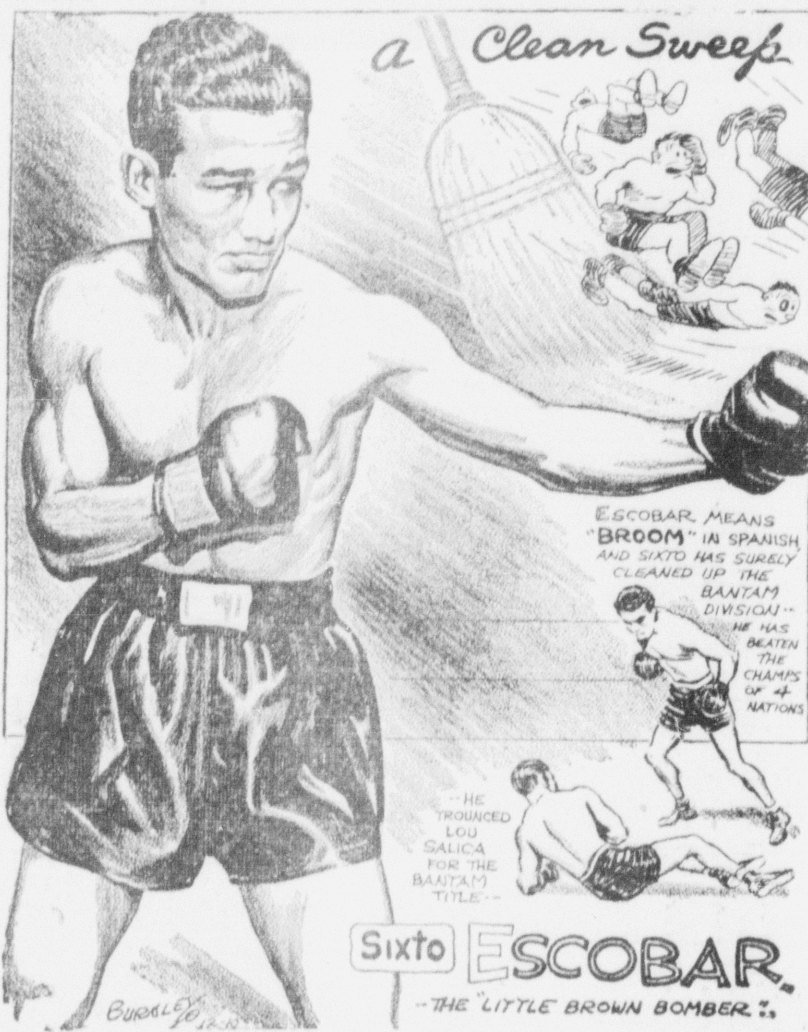
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## Joe Louis of the Bantams

By BURNLEY



From Puerto Rico has come a little warrior who is just as devastating in his own division as Joe Louis is among the big fellows. Sixto Escobar, bantamweight champion of the world by virtue of his smashing victory over sharp-shooting Lou Salica, has practically no opposition left among the 118-pound battlers.

"Escobar" means "broom" in Spanish, and little Sixto has certainly done a swell job of sweeping up the bantam division.

In fact, he has made more or less of a clean sweep—the records show that he has licked the bantamweight champions of four different countries, besides trouncing almost every little fellow of note throwing leather.

Eugene Hunt of France, Bobby Leitham of Canada, Baby Casanova of Mexico, and Pete Sanstol of Norway are the various national champions that the "Little Brown Bomber" has vanquished.

Escobar is a sweet boxer and a smashing hitter for a small man. He dropped a disputed duke to Lou Salica in their first meeting for the title, though practically everyone present but the officials thought that the Puerto Rican puncher won easily enough.

In a return bout, Socking Sixto convinced everyone, including the referee and judges, that he was Salica's master, giving Hymie Caplin's pride and joy a terrific thrumping. Escobar did everything to Lou but knock him out, and nearly accomplished that feat when he dropped Salica in one of the early rounds.

The little Puerto Rican has the blood of Spanish grandees in his veins, and is surely one of Pistiana's bluebloods.

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## COMING EVENTS

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper.

Dec. 12—7th annual turkey dinner, Second Baptist Church, Race street, 6 to 9 p. m.

Dec. 13—Card party by Ladies' Auxiliary in Edgely Fire Co. station, 8 p. m.

Card party by Bristol Council, No. 58, Daughters of America, in P. P. A. hall.

Dec. 14—Card party for Catholic Daughters, in K. of C. home.

Chicken dinner and Christmas bazaar in M. E. Church, beginning at 5:30 p. m.

25th Anniversary Banquet of Washington Camp 789, P. O. S. of A., 7 p. m., in Presbyterian Church. Card party at Jones' Neshaminy House, benefit of Newport Road Community Chapel.

December 15—Social and dance, auspices Beneficial

Lodge, club room, Franklin street, 8 p. m.

December 16—Card party in Bracken Post home, sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary.

Dec. 17—Annual turkey card and radio party, benefit of St. Ann's Church, in St. Ann's Auditorium.

Dec. 18—Charity card party in Odd Fellows hall by Lily Rebecca Lodge.

December 20—Card and "radio" party at Cornwells Fire Co. station, benefit of the fire company.

## LOVE IS LIKE THAT

VIENNA—(INS)—Singing "Donna e mobile," Verdi's famous reproach that women are fickle and treacherous, Joseph Bartsch threw his wife out of the window of their second floor apartment. Mrs. Bartsch, a pretty young Viennese, suffered serious injuries. Mr. Bartsch was arrested. At the trial the impulsive couple fell into each other's arms and became reconciled. But Bartsch was sent to prison for five years.

## Home Heating Hints

by JOHN BARCLAY

ONE of the most common complaints voiced by home-owners is to the effect that the draft is so poor that the fire is difficult to maintain. Usually this condition can be remedied by the location of the cause... and the cause nearly always lies in one of the five following places:

1.—A leaking chimney flue; this is sometimes caused by rust or careless joining of the flue pipe sections;  
2.—Poor chimney construction; many times we find a chimney that is so narrow that it is practically impossible to get sufficient draft.  
Again we often find a decorative arch across the top of the chimney opening on the roof. This may be pleasing from a scenic viewpoint, but it prevents your fire from getting the proper draft (see illustration showing fourteen defects that may be found in chimneys).

3.—Fly ash (carbon) accumulations in the gas passages; this can be eliminated by having the gas passages, as well as the entire furnace, thoroughly cleaned at regular intervals... at least once a year;  
4.—The pipe projecting into chimney, beyond the wall surface; the flue pipe should be placed flush with the inside of the wall nearest the chimney opening;  
5.—Turn damper rusted shut; naturally the turn damper in your flue pipe should be movable, so that when you turn the handle the disc inside the pipe will move. If you have difficulty in locating the cause of insufficient draft, consult an expert.

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## STRONG CONTENDERS FOR HOCKEY CROWN

By Wayne D. Meyers  
(I. N. S. Sports Writer)

HERSHEY, Dec. 10—(INS)—Sporting an aggregation of "new bloods," coupled with six of last year's veteran ice warriors, the Hershey Bears stand out as one of the strongest contenders for the pennant in the Eastern Amateur Hockey League.

The Bears are coached by "Herb" Mitchell, who has played, managed and coached hockey teams for a quarter of a century. Before taking over the destinies of the Hershey club, he coached the Windsor Bulldogs to two ice hockey championships while his New Haven Eagles finished in first place under his tutelage.

Mitchell, patterning his style of hockey coaching along the lines of those laid down by the late Knute Rockne in football, stresses "brains, speed, courage and deception." His team this year, even more than last season when they were runner-up for the title, demonstrate in practice and match play a fast, powerful offense and an airtight defense.

Exhibition games before the League season opened disclosed some of Hershey's 1935 style. The Bears ran roughshod over their opponents, scoring goal after goal with fast and furious play.

With Captain Blinco leading the attack, the Bears took the sting out of the crafty Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets in the opening game of the series by a score of 5-1. In the next League game, played at Madison Square Garden, the Bears swept the formidable New York Rovers with a barrage of cleverly executed shots to win by a score of 5-2.

The following week at Hershey, a group of hockey stars from Baltimore arrived to test the mettle of the renowned Bears. This clash with the Baltimore Orioles clearly demonstrated that the Bears have a shrewd band of players, all able to use their heads as well as their sticks.

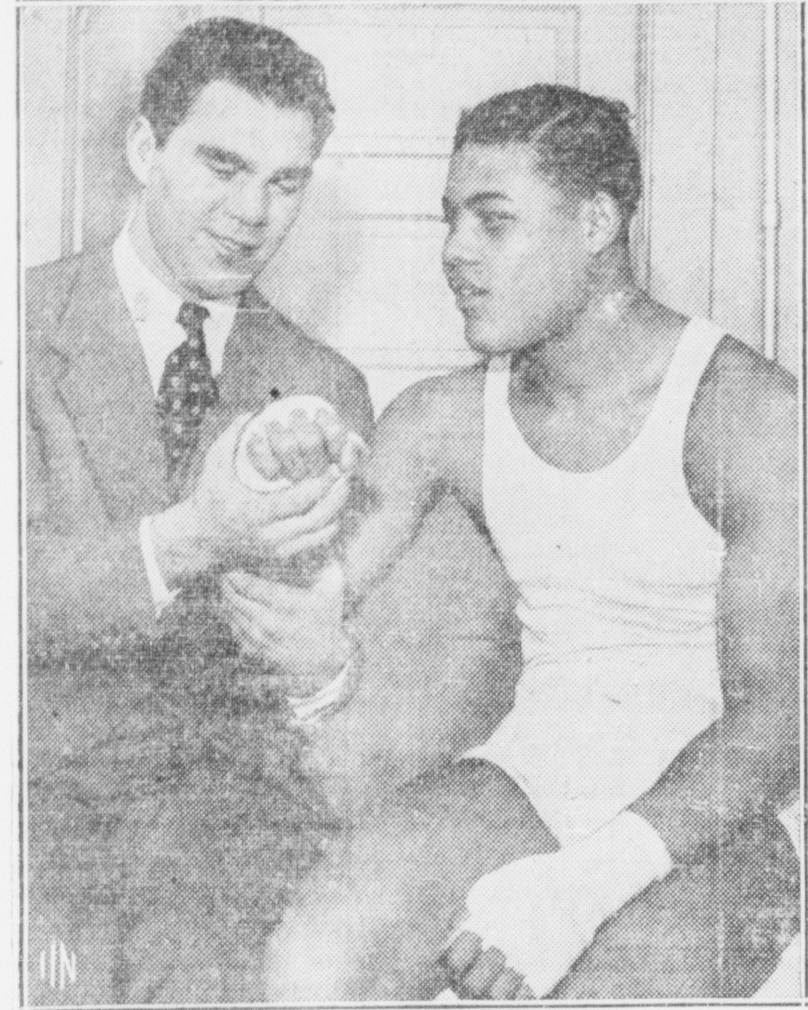
Seven Bear players were among the 50 men picked by the Olympic Selection Committee as material from which to choose a squad of 13 to represent the United States in the Olympic winter games in Germany, February 6-16. The Bear stickmen selected were Gerard Cormier, Lloyd Blinco, Nickolas Damore, Aud K. Tuten, Walton Russell, Felix Manasco and Henry Lauzon.

Cormier, who is playing his second season as right wing with the Bears, scored thirteen points last year, making eight goals and five assists. In 1932-33 he played with the St. Francis Xavier and LaFontaine hockey clubs. Blinco, center and captain, was third highest scorer in the League last season and is one of hockey's most colorful players. "Dizzy" Damore, goalie, is the youngest player on the team, and is a second year man with the Bears. Aud Tuten was born in Enterprise, Alabama, but gained most of his hockey experience in Canada with the Regina Pats. After starring two seasons with the Bears, he was named all-star defenseman. "Russ" Russell is rated as one of the best defensive wings in the League. His hockey career began in Melrose, Mass., where he began playing with a group of local boys.

Felix Manasco is 150 pounds of dynamite in right wing position, while "Hank" Lauzon, another second year man at defense, stops all plays.

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## Maxie Gets Preview of Bomber



Max Schmeling, Germany's ex-heavyweight champion, visits Joe Louis' training camp at Pompton Lakes, N. J., and examines the fist that blasted Max Baer from the heavyweight picture. Schmeling is mentioned as a probable opponent of the Brown Bomber who meets Paulino Uzcudun in New York this week.

## YULE CARDS KEEP STEP WITH THE MODERN YOUTH

Gay Cameraderie and Frank Sincerity Finds Echo On Greetings

## WISE-CRACKS ARE GONE

The gay cameraderie and frank sincerity of modern youth finds its echo in their Xmas cards. Gone are the flip wise-cracks of the "dapper" era. They are as out of date as the primarily conventional greetings of the Nineties. Young America's fondness for winter sports, for instance, is reflected in an unusually large number of cards. A gay couple ski hand-in-hand down a hill, silhouetted in black against a cobalt sky. Skaters and tobogganists are plenty.

Youthful figures in the garb of today bring a fresh note. A girl in trim skirt and modish pull-over and a youth in windbreaker and slacks bend their joint efforts to peel Xmas bells whose chimes ring out in a shower of notes spelling "Merry Christmas." A card conveying season's greetings "To A Nice Girl" shows a girl's head with black hair smartly bobbed. A bachelor card in black, silver and white illustrates a snooty young man in top hat and tails saying, "Noel indeed." The familiar Xmas motif of the "Three Ships" that came sailing devises a wide variety of 1935 versions, as a whole regatta of sloops, and yachts, and trim sail-boats cruise into popular favor. Similarly, the seasonal roof-top motif is translated into city sky-scrapers vistas. Modern youth sends its Christmas wishes in the mood of today.

Sentiments range from a simple "Merry Christmas" to a casual

"Cheerio" or "Hi, there! Season's greetings!" but they uniformly express genuine warmth and friendliness. Cynical humor is out-of-style.

## TOO MUCH FOR HIM

BOSTON—(INS)—When his companion, Bernard Berry, 37, of South Boston, fell from the roof of a North End building, a fellow roofer quit on the spot, lowered himself to the ground, announced, "that won't happen to me," and walked away.

## PROFESSOR ENDOWS PUPILS

VIENNA—(INS)—"My pupils were my family and therefore their successors shall be my principal heirs." With these words the late professor of English in Vienna University, Dr. Karl Luick, bequeathed his estate to the university on condition that the interest should be used to enable students to visit England.

## WAR RENAMES DRINK

PARIS—(INS)—Paris has given a new name to an old drink. The Italo-Abyssinian campaign is responsible for it. Black coffee and rum,

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